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SALEM POLICE MAKE ARRESTS IN RESIDENTIAL ROBBERY CASE

On Friday, July 30, 2010, the Salem Police Department arrested 2 individuals in relation to the reported residential robbery that occurred on July 21, 2010 in the 100 block of Rutledge Drive. On that date, 2 victims reported that they were robbed at gunpoint by 2 suspects who had knocked on their apartment door on the pretext of trying to locate an individual not known to the victims.

Arrested were:
- Kevin Maurice Wiggins, age 18, of Roanoke
- A 17-year-old juvenile male, also of Roanoke

Both subjects were charged with:
- 2 counts of Armed Robbery (one count for each victim)
- 2 counts of Use of a Firearm in the Commission of a Felony
- 1 count of Burglary

Both subjects were arrested without incident shortly after 4pm in NW Roanoke City with the assistance of the Roanoke City Police Department. Wiggins was taken to the Roanoke County/Salem jail, where he is being held without bond. The juvenile was taken to the Roanoke Juvenile Detention Center, where he is being held. Trial is pending for both subjects.

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